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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS REVIEW - UNITS OF PARAGUAYAN SECURITY FORCES

REF: A. 05 STATE 225765

[B](#). 03 STATE 3491

[C](#). 99 STATE 103806

[D](#). 99 STATE 85377

[1](#). Embassy has reviewed its internal files and records in accordance with standardized vetting procedures and finds no derogatory information on the following units (or person) of the Paraguayan security forces that are intended recipients of U.S. training and/or security assistance.

[2](#). Candidate name: Manual Rodriguez Sosa

DOB: March 4, 1968

POB: Luque, Paraguay

Nationality: Paraguayan

Description of training and assistance: Guest instructor at WHINSEC

Date of training: March 26 - June 15, 2008

[3](#). Candidate name: Juan Ramon Mendoza Otano

DOB: August 18, 1966

POB: Concepcion, Paraguay

Nationality: Paraguayan

Description of training and assistance: Guest instructor at WHINSEC

Date of training: March 26 - June 15, 2008

[4](#). Candidate name: Hugo Gilberto Aranda Chamorro

DOB: April 28, 1956

POB: Coronel Oviedo, Paraguay

Nationality: Paraguayan

Description of training and assistance: Non-Traditional Threat Administration Conference

Date of training: April 14 - 18, 2008

[5](#). Candidate name: Casimiro Marin Gonzalez

DOB: March 4, 1960

POB: Eusebio Ayala, Paraguay

Nationality: Paraguayan

Description of training and assistance: Non-Traditional Threat Administration Conference

Date of training: April 14 - 18, 2008

[6](#). Candidate name: Jorge Merardo Osorio Fernandez

DOB: June 8, 1961

POB: Santa Elena, Paraguay

Nationality: Paraguayan

Description of training and assistance: Non-Traditional Threat Administration Conference

Date of training: April 14 - 18, 2008

[7](#). Candidate name: Cibar Jesus Ezequiel Benitez Caceres

DOB: May 14, 1953

POB: Carapegua, Paraguay

Nationality: Paraguayan

Description of training and assistance: Career  
Development and Civilian Functions in the Defense and  
Security Sectors

Date of training: April 9 - 11, 2008

18. Embassy requests State Department vetting of the above  
persons so that the planned training and material support can  
move forward.

19. POC for this request is Embassy Asuncion Human Rights  
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